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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q73669

Takashi UDAGAWA, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/714,612

Group Art Unit: 2815

Confirmation No.: 3675

Examiner: Bradley W. Baumeister

Filed: November 18, 2003

For: **BORON PHOSPHIDE-BASED SEMICONDUCTOR LIGHT-EMITTING DEVICE,
PRODUCTION METHOD THEREOF AND LIGHT-EMITTING DIODE**

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION AND ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Restriction and Election of Species Requirement dated December 27, 2004, Applicant elects Group I, claims 1-6 (1-8) and 23 (drawn to a light emitter having p-BP clad) for prosecution, without traverse. Applicants further elect Species IA, Claim 7, also without traverse, wherein the p-BP clad is monocrystalline. Claims 1-6, 7 and 23 read thereon.

Applicants reserve the right to file a Divisional Application directed to non-elected subject matter.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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